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LANCASHIRE MANX CHALLENGE CUP
BOLTON WANDERERS
SATURDAY 11th AUGUST 1990

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Champions: 1970/71, 1974/75

Northern Premier Cup:

Winners 1971/72

Northern Premier Shield

Winners 1972/73, 1973/74, 1975/76

Cheshire League Champions:

1933/34, 1934/35, 1935/36, 1964/65

Lancashire Combination:

1947/48, 1950/51, 1952/53, 1953/54

F.A. Cup Best Season:

6th Round 1986/87

Football League Cup Best Season:

4th Round 1981/82

Freight Rover Trophy:

Winners 1984/85

The Bryan Hamilton Column

After what seems like a five minute break from football, a new season is almost with us once again. The World Cup made sure that we never forgot about the game, players, supporters, systems of play generally what a great game soccer is. It is indeed the game which intrigues nations and people of all religions and colours, also it shows how unpredictable it can be, with small countries who have little resources and small populations of people giving the larger soccer nations a fright.

This is what makes football so very special with uncertainty of what is to be!! Like all clubs we hope that this coming season will be a good one for our club, both on and off the field.

We have added David Fairclough, Stephen Eyre and Lee Hunter to our playing staff and we hope they stay here at Wigan will be long and filled with success. On the staff side we are delighted to have David Crompton join us in a full time capacity. David is not a newcomer to most of the Wigan people and I am sure that like a lot of teams who put their faith in youth and development of their youngsters we have one of the most experienced people in the game as our youth person.

Tom Cavanagh hopefully will continue his association with the club as I believe a person with his experience and knowledge should not be allowed to leave our game. As inspirational coach and motivator his work over the last 18 months has been as important to the working and progress of Wigan Athletic Football club. We wish him well in his semi-retirement and our sympathies go to his wife, Doris, who will now have him for most of the day!! There was never a dull moment when he was here he kept everyone on their toes. The best accolade I can give Tommy Cav is to say that I felt he was an ultimate professional who loves the game.

Today it is our old friends Bolton. There is great rivalry between both clubs but a lot of respect for one another. Our good wishes for a successful season go to Phil Neal and his players and lets hope today's game will give both sets of supporters hope for the new season.

Thank you for attending today's game.

BRYAN HAMILTON

LANCASHIRE MANX CHALLENGE CUP

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Latics Squad
in Russia,
August 1990

Latics v Bolton — Past Action



“Phil Daley heads towards goal”

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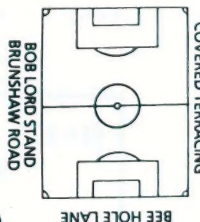
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HANSON STAND



PAST ENCOUNTERS *by Jeff Rourke*

PAST RESULTS ON THIS DATE — 11th AUGUST

Year	Opponents	Competition	Venue	Result	Scorers
1973	Goole Town	N.P.L.	Home	1-1	McCunnell
1975	Stockport County	Pre-Season Friendly	Home	1-3	Worswick
1976	Winsford United	Pre-Season	Away	2-1	Worswick, Kenyon
1979	Stockport County	Lge Cup 1st Rd 1st Leg	Away	1-2	Houghton
1982	Swansea City	Pre-Season Friendly	Home	1-4	Bradd
1984	Rochdale	Lancs. Manx Cup	Home	3-1	Jackson (3-2 pens)
1987	Blackburn Rovers	Lancs. Manx Cup Final	Away	2-2	Beesley, Storer
1988	Bolton Wanderers	Lancs. Manx Cup	Home	0-1	★

● Lost 3-4 on pens ★ Played at Oldham

LATICS PREVIOUS MANX CUP RESULTS

Year	Section	Opponents	Venue	Result	Scorers
1983	Group 2	Bury	Home	1-2	Bruce
1983	Group 2	Bolton Wand	Home	0-0	
1983	Group 2	Rochdale	Away	3-2	Houghton, Cribble (pen), Lowe
1984	Group B	Rochdale	Home	3-1	Johnson (3-2)
1984	Group B	Blackpool	Away	0-0	
1984	Group B	Burnley	Away	2-1	Walsh, Johnson
1984	Final	Blackburn	Home	2-1	Barrow, Methven
1985	Group A	Blackburn R.	Away	2-2	Barrow, Aspinall
1985	Group A	Preston N.E.	Home	2-1	Newell, Methven
1985	Group A	Blackpool	Away	1-1	I. Griffiths
1986	Group B	Burnley	Home	1-1	Lowe
1986	Group B	Preston N.E.	Away	2-0	Lowe, Cook
1986	Group B	Bolton Wand	Away	4-3	Beesley, Lowe, C. Thompson, Jewell
1986	Final	Bury	Away	0-1	
1987	Group B	Bury	Away	3-0	Cook, Campbell, Jewell
1987	Group B	Preston N.E.	Home	1-1	Lowe
1987	Group B	Rochdale	Home	4-0	Beesley, Hamilton, Hilditch, Jewell
1987	Final	Blackburn R.	Away	2-2	● Beesley, Storer
1988	Group B	Rochdale	Away	0-1	
1988	Group B	Bolton Wand	Home★	0-1	
1988	Group B	Bury	Away	1-1	Hilditch
1989	Group A	Blackburn R.	Home	0-3	
1989	Group A	Bolton Wand	Home	1-0	Page
1989	Group A	Burnley	Away	2-0	Page (2)

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Remember that a Bonus Point is awarded to teams that score 3 or more goals in Group matches

MANX CUP PREVIOUS WINNERS

1982	Bury	beat	Blackburn Rovers	2-1
1983	Blackburn Rovers	beat	Bury	on Pens. after 0-0
1984	Wigan Athletic	beat	Blackburn Rovers	2-1
1985	Blackburn Rovers	beat	Burnley	1-0
1986	Bury	beat	Wigan Athletic	1-0
1987	Blackburn Rovers	beat	Wigan Athletic	on Pens after 2-2
1988	Bolton Wanderers	beat	Preston North End	1-0
1989	Blackburn Rovers	beat	Blackpool	1-0

DID YOU KNOW?

- On both occasions when Wigan have met Blackburn Rovers in the Final, a Wigan centre forward has scored for the opposition. Steve Johnson in 1884 and Bobby Campbell in 1987.
- Last years winners Blackburn were the first to lift the cup on opposition ground. The previous seven Finals had all been won by the home team.
- Omen has it that this year is not Blackburn's year as they win it every two years (83, 85, 87, 89).

ALEX CRIBLEY

Apologies to Alex for in his Testimonial programme, I "did" him out of 3 League Cup games. His record should read:-

League	Play offs	League Cup F.A. Cup	AMC/FRT	App	Goals
268 (3)	2	20 (1)	24	12	326 (4)
					18 (13 pens)

Substitutions in Brackets

HERE NEXT

Saturday 18th August 1990 — Kick Off 3.00p.m.

WIGAN ATHLETIC v BLACKPOOL

Lancashire Manx Cup

WIGAN ATHLETIC

The Pride of Lancashire

by Colin Grethe

To all Latics fans and officials, a warm welcome back to Springfield Park. Today we take on our close neighbours Bolton Wanderers in the Lancashire Manx Cup, but the new league season draws ever closer. With four pre-season games under our belt (Everton, Atherton, 2 in Russia) and the forthcoming Manx Cup matches we should be primed and ready to make our assault on the League Campaign. It is a refreshing change to play our first at home and we look to our youthful side with expectation.

We should see the further emergence of our "home grown" talent — Alan Johnson, Peter Atherton and Joe Parkinson. The blossoming of Neil Rimmer as an influential midfield playmaker. Experience has been added to the front line in the shape of David Fairclough, known to all as "Super-Sub" because of his goal scoring exploits while at Liverpool. His knowledge of the game gained at home and abroad, should rub off onto the likes of Phil Daley and Don Page and therefore can only benefit the squad.

Stuart Phoenix, Paul Musker and Lee Rogerson will be pushing for a chance to prove their skills so there will be plenty of competition for places.

We hope that Ray Woods has an injury free season and Andy Pilling is soon back in the squad fully fit.

Its nice to see ex-Latics players doing well, Mike Newell is all set to continue in the front line at Everton, Mick Quinn has extended his contract at Newcastle — lets hope they reach the first division this time, and Paul Beesley has signed for newly promoted Sheffield United — his first game is against Liverpool who he knows a bit about, so good luck Beeso!

Back to today's game, its always a tough match with Bolton, they are a talented side and will surely be up amongst the leading group towards the end of the season — let's hope we're with them! Next Tuesday we travel to Burnley, a club steeped in history, their ground Turf Moor is an excellent stadium. Our third game of the week is home again, Blackpool being the visitors.

Yes, we're back in business again — best wishes to all for a good season.



Neil Rimmer leads the team out in Russia (Crowd — 6,000+)

BOLTON WANDERERS



Back Row L/R: Paul Hughes, Barry Cowdrill, Mark Came, Mark Winstanley, Paul Comstive, Alan Stubbs, Nicky Spooner, Robbie Savage.

Middle Row: Phil Neal (Manager) Julian Darby, Gary Henshaw, Dean Crombie, Dave Felgate, Kevin Rose, Mike Jeffrey, Gary Brown, Neil Fisher, Mick Brown (Coach).

Front Row: Ewen Simpson (Physio), David Reeves, Phil Brown, Tony Philliskirk, Stuart Storer, Steve Thomspson, David Burke, Darren Oliver, Scott Green, Steve Carroll (Youth Coach).

DAVE FELGATE—Goalkeeper. Began his career at Burnden Park as an apprentice but made his league bow on loan with Rochdale. He was later sold to Lincoln without making a league appearance for Bolton and after making 198 appearances for the Sincil Bank Club moved to Grimsby. He returned to Bolton in February 1987, and has been an everpresent since then.

PHIL BROWN—Full-back. Signed for Bolton in a £17,000 transfer from Halifax Town during June 1988. Commenced his league career with Hartlepool where he made over 200 league appearances before completing 135 games for Halifax.

BARRY COWDRILL—Full-back. Made over 100 league appearances in an eight year spell at West Bromwich who secured his services from Sutton Coldfield Town. Joined Bolton in July 1988, he can also play on the left side of midfield — a position where he began his career.

MARK WINSTANLEY—Defender. Came through the clubs youth ranks to make his league debut in March 1986. He became a regular in the run in to promotion from the fourth division in 1988.

MARK CAME—Defender. Came to Burnden Park from non-league Winsford United in 1984 and quickly forced his way into the league side.

JULIAN DARBY—Midfield/Defender. Signed for the Wanderers straight from school. He made his debut in March 1986 and has since proved his versatility with consistant performances in both the midfield and defensive departments.

STUART STORER—Midfield. Joined Wanderers in January 1988 for £25,000 from Everton after a loan spell with the club. Began his career with Mansfield Town, then moved to Birmingham City before going to Goodison Park. Whilst on Merseyside he also had a loan spell at Wigan Athletic.

STEVE THOMPSON—Midfield. The Clubs longest serving professional who progressed through the youth ranks to make his league debut in November 1982.

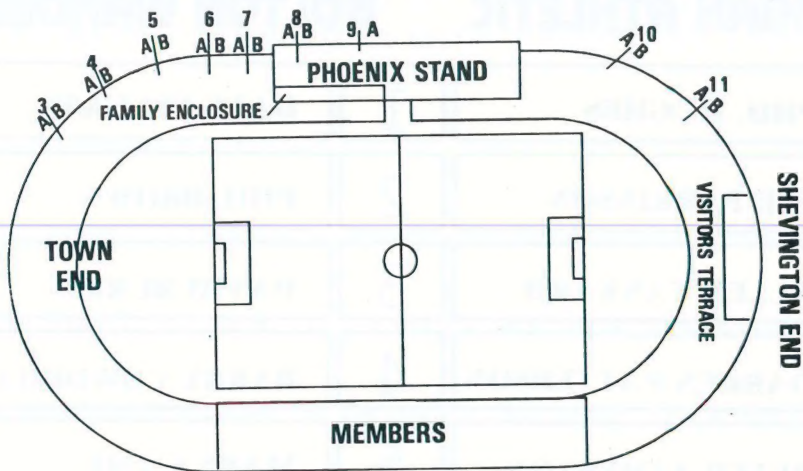
DAVID BURKE—Midfield. Signed from Crystal Palace for £60,000 rejoining his first league club.

TONY PHILLISKIRK—Forward. Began his league career with Sheffield United. After a loan spell at Rotherham, he moved to Oldham in July 1988. Preston North End paid £50,000 to secure his services. Joined the Wanderers for a similar fee.

DAVID REEVES—Forward. Joined Sheffield Wednesday in 1986, but made his league debut on loan to Scunthorpe United in December that year. Joined Burnley on loan in November 1987, scoring against Bolton on his debut.

SPRINGFIELD PARK

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As from the new season starting August 25th against Mansfield Town, members will be able to gain cheaper admission to Springfield Park. Those supporters who have renewed their Wigan Athletic membership will be able to gain a 50p reduction per game by showing their valid membership card at the appropriate turnstile. As with previous seasons the St. Andrews Stand is available for the use of members only. All you have to do is to complete a membership.

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TEAM LINE-UP



WIGAN ATHLETIC

BOLTON WANDERERS

PHIL HUGHES	1	DAVE FELGATE
JOE PARKINSON	2	PHIL BROWN
ALLEN TANKARD	3	DAVID BURKE
DARREN PATTERSON	4	BARRY COWDRILL
PETER ATHERTON	5	MARK CAME
ALAN JOHNSON	6	MARK WINSTANLEY
JIMMY CARI ERY	7	STUART STORER
NEILL RIMMER	8	STEVE THOMPSON
DAVID FAIRCLOUGH	9	DAVID REEVES
PHIL DALEY	10	TONY PHILLISKIRK
BRYAN GRIFFITHS	11	JULIAN DARBY
RAY WOODS	12	SCOTT GREEN
LEE ROGERSON	14	PAUL COMSTIVE

Referee:
Mr. D. Allison (Lancaster)



Linesmen
Yellow Trim Mr. W. G. Gowers
Orange Trim Mr. S. Cawtherley